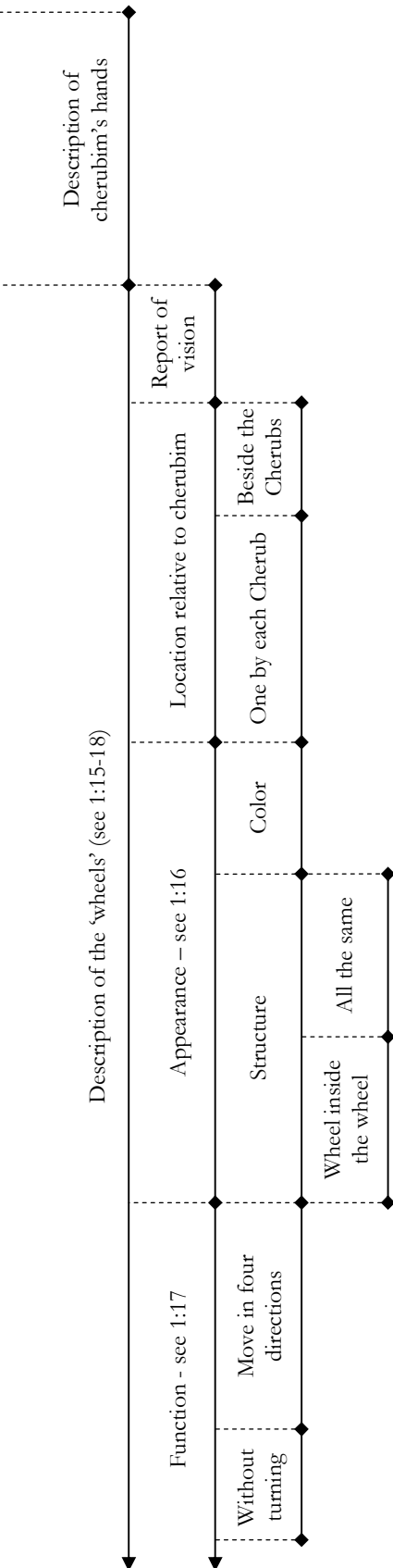
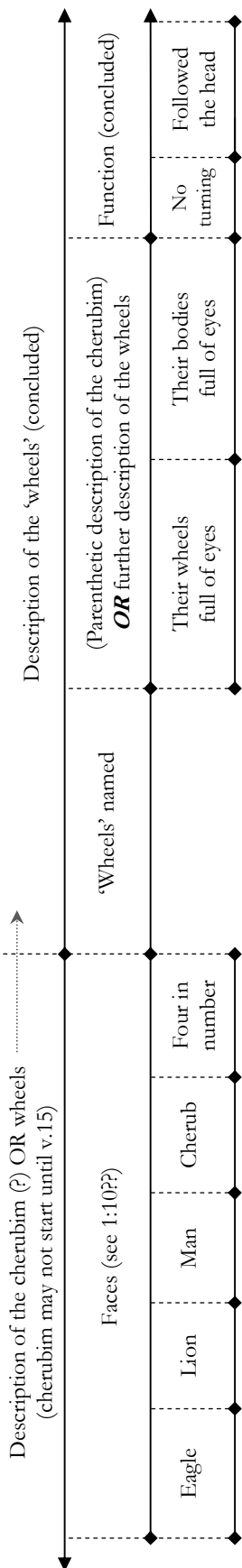


Ezekiel 10:8 – 22

Continuation of the first Temple Vision (8-11): the throne-chariot & its movements described



⁸ And there appeared
in the cherubims
the form
of a man's hand
under their wings. ⁹ And
when I looked,
behold
the four wheels
by the cherubims,
one wheel
by one cherub, and
another wheel
by another cherub: and
the appearance of the wheels
was as the colour of a beryl stone. ¹⁰ And
as for their appearances,
they four
had one likeness,
as if a wheel
had been
in the midst of a wheel. ¹¹
When
they went,
they went
upon their four sides;
they turned not
as they went, but



to the place
 whither the head looked
 they followed it;
 they turned not as they went. ¹² And
 their whole body, and
 their backs, and
 their hands, and
 their wings, and
 the wheels,
were full of eyes round about,
even the wheels
 that they four had. ¹³

As for the wheels,
 it was cried
 unto them
 in my hearing,
 "O wheel." ¹⁴ And
 every one
 had four faces:
 the first face
was the face of a cherub, and
 the second face
was the face of a man, and
 the third
 the face of a lion, and
 the fourth
 the face of an eagle. ¹⁵ And

This may be the beginning of the cherubim description instead of v.14.

the cherubims

were lifted up.

This

is the living creature

that I saw

by the river of Chebar. ¹⁶ And

when

the cherubims

went,

the wheels

went by them: and

when

the cherubims

lifted up their wings

to mount up from the earth,

the same wheels

also turned not from beside them. ¹⁷

When

they

stood,

these

stood; and

when

they

were lifted up,

these

lifted up themselves *also*:

Description of the cherubim (continued)

Their movement synchronized with the wheels (see 1:19-21)

Lift off together

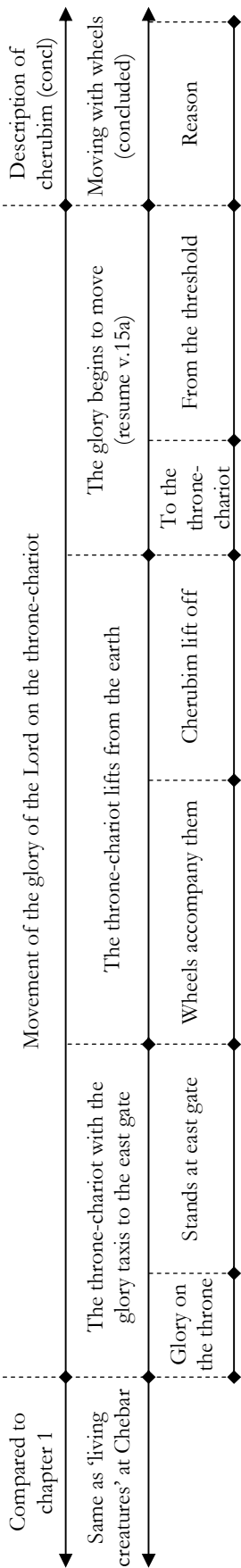
Stand together

Stayed together

Move together

Compared to the 'living creatures' of chapter 1

(They lift off)



for
 the spirit
 of the living creature
was in them. ¹⁸

Then
 the glory of the LORD
 departed
 from off the threshold of the house, and
 stood
 over the cherubims. ¹⁹ And
 the cherubims
 lifted up their wings, and
 mounted up from the earth
 in my sight:

when
 they
 went out,
 the wheels also
were beside them, and
every one
 stood at the door
 of the east gate
 of the LORD's house; and
 the glory of the God of Israel
was over them above. ²⁰

This *is* the living creature
 that I saw
 under the God of Israel

Cherubim compared to 'living creatures' of chapter 1 (concluded)

Movements
compared

Various parts compared

Ezekiel
realizes it

Appearance the same as at Chebar

Hands like a man's

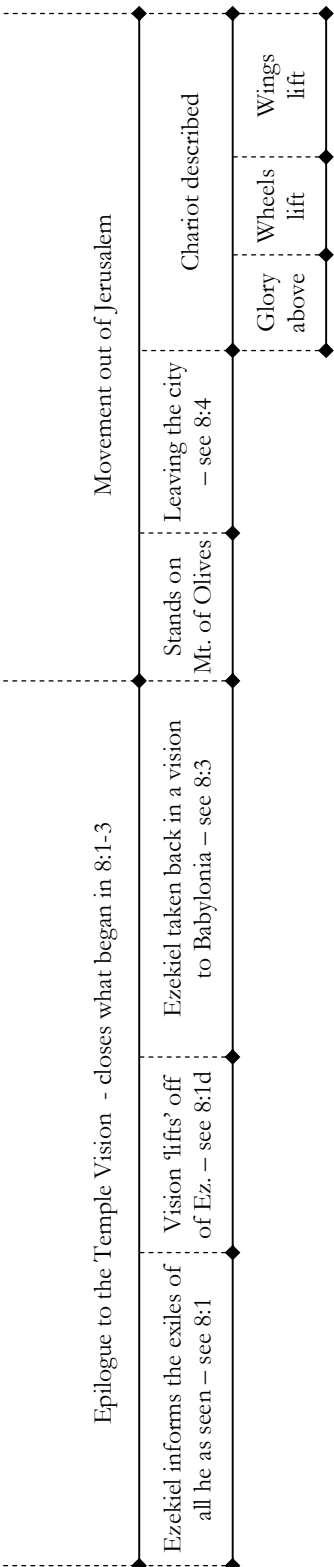
Four
wings

Four
faces

by the river of Chebar; and
I knew
that they *were* the cherubims. ²¹
Every one
had four faces apiece, and
every one
four wings; and
the likeness
of the hands
of a man
was under their wings. ²² And
the likeness of
their faces
was the same faces
which I saw
by the river of Chebar,
their appearances and
themselves:
they went
every one
straight forward.

Ezekiel 11:22 – 25

Conclusion of the first Temple Vision (8-11): throne-chariot leaves/Ezekiel returns



22 Then did
the cherubims
lift up their wings, and
the wheels
beside them; and
the glory of the God of Israel
was over them above. **23** And
the glory of the LORD
went up
from the midst
of the city, and
stood
upon the mountain
which *is* on the east side of the city. **24**

Afterwards
the spirit
took me up, and
brought me
in a vision
by the Spirit of God
into Chaldea,
to them of the captivity.

So
the vision
that I had seen
went up from me. **25**

Then
I spake
unto them of the captivity
all the things
that the LORD
had shewed me.